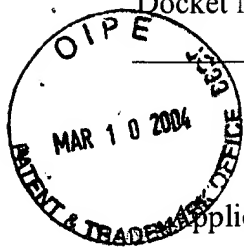


36834

41

Docket No.: YAMAH5.778A

Customer No.: 20,995



AMENDMENT / RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Applicant : Kouji Sakai  
App. No. : 09/759,294  
Filed : January 11, 2001  
For : VEHICLE SUSPENSION  
SYSTEM  
Examiner : Melody M. Burch  
Art Unit : 3683

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence and all marked attachments are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on

March 8, 2004

(Date)

Michael A. Guiliiana, Reg. No. 42,611

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RECEIVED  
MAR 15 2004  
GROUP 3600

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application are the following enclosures:

(X) Amendment in 12 pages.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

FEE CALCULATION				
FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
Total Claims	38 - 40 = 0	1202 (\$18)	0 x 18 =	\$0
Independent Claims	6 - 5 = 1	1201 (\$86)	1 x 86 =	\$86
3 Month Extension		1253 (\$950)		\$950
			TOTAL FEE DUE	\$1,036

(X) An extension of time is hereby requested by payment of the appropriate fee indicated above.

(X) A check in the amount of \$1,036 is enclosed.

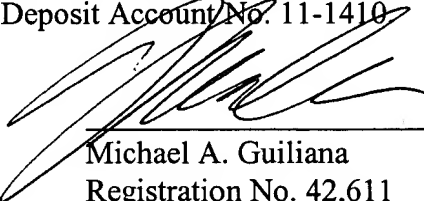
(X) Return prepaid postcard.

03/12/2004 BABRAHA1 00000032 09759294

01 FC:1253

950.00 OP

- (X) Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410



---

Michael A. Guiliana  
Registration No. 42,611  
Attorney of Record  
Customer No. 20,995  
(949) 760-0404



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant	:	Kouji Sakai
Appl. No.	:	09/759,294
Filed	:	January 11, 2001
For	:	VEHICLE SUSPENSION SYSTEM
Examiner	:	Melody M. Burch

Group Art Unit 3683

I hereby certify that this correspondence and all marked attachments are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on

March 8, 2004

(Date)

Michael A. Guiliana, Reg. No. 42,611

## AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 9, 2003, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments and comments in connection with the above-captioned application.

**RECEIVED**

MAR 15 2004

**GROUP 3600**